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EXPLANATION OF SYSTEM OF NOTATION.

John Mansur, page 8, is number 1; Elizabeth, his eldest child, is 1-1; John, the younger child, is 1-2, i. e. the second child of the eldest child. Thus, William the second child of John (1-2) has in addition to his father's number a figure "2," indicating that he is the second child of the second child of the eldest child of the founder of the family.

This system is maintained throughout, and permits the addition of new families without change in the system of notation, a matter of some moment when a family record is not complete.

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For a part of the history of the family of Mansur contained in the following pages, I am indebted to the late Hon. Charles H. Mansur, of Chillicothe, Mo., who at his own expense in 1889, prepared and printed a pamphlet, containing what I believe to be the first attempt to compile a history of our family and preserve some of the traditions relating to early days of the colonies, in which they took part.

Some of it I have gathered by correspondence with various branches of the family, but no one who has not tried it, can have any idea of the difficulty there is in getting even the simplest facts. Many who could supply this information are dead, and many others take no interest whatever in the matter, and thus, much that would be of interest to us of the younger branches, has been lost beyond recovery. It is much to be regretted that so little attention was paid to these things by our ancestors. If the family records had been carefully kept, it would have made very interesting reading at the present time, especially when so many are endeavoring to trace their descent from pre-Revolutionary sires.

I have attempted, before it is entirely too late, to gather some of this information yet remaining, and put it into permanent form, in the hope that some other pen will take up and continue the work, until we shall have a complete registry of those who bear the honored name of Mansur.

The connection of the scattered representatives of the name with Robert Mansur of Charlestown was accomplished by Mr. Eben Putnam of Salem. Mr. Putnam undertook the task, at my request, of investigating the traditions in our family regarding

our origin with the result shown hereafter. While contemporary proofs are wanting that Robert Mansur was our common ancestor, such evidences as remain, hidden among scattered and voluminous records, point to that fact with such directness as to cause doubt to be almost superfluous.

There is a tradition that the first one to bear the name of Mansur in this country, was a French Hugenot who bore the name of Monsieur. He was said to have come from the Isle of Jersey and settled in the neighborhood of Boston about the year 1660. He was so eccentric in his ways that he was known among his neighbors as the "crazy Frenchman." The same tradition asserts that he was a person of some means, as he dressed well and engaged in no occupation, but is silent as to his family, the date of his death, and everything else.

The earliest authentic record brought to light so far, is to be found in "Genealogies and Estates of Charlestown, Mass." by Thomas Bellew Wyman, where it is recorded a certain Robert Mansir or Mansur, married Elizabeth Brooks, a widow, June 6, 1670. She is recorded as residing at Thomas Barber's, October 21, 1689. She died January 3, 1694.

In Savage's "Genealogical Dictionary," Robert Mansur is recorded as a householder in 1678, in Charlestown, Mass.*

Whether this Robert Mansur is identical with the "crazy Frenchman" spoken of above, I have no means of knowing. Like most traditions this may have had some basis but what grain of truth is present is unrecognizable amid the mass of error.

The following letter is of interest in this connection :—

DANVERS, MASS., Feb. 26, 1899.

JOHN H. MANSUR, ESQ.,

DEAR SIR :—With this I enclose a preliminary study of the earlier generations of the Mansur family; also a pedigree which I advance in a tentative way.

It would be very hard to disprove this pedigree, as all the information gathered seems to fall in with it. However, it is open to correction.

If you will take a map of Massachusetts you will see that Malden and Medford join. Both practically adjoin Charlestown. Charlestown formerly extended to Woburn and bounded Cambridge.

Roxbury joined Dedham, and Needham was set off from Dedham. Needham

*Pamphlet of C. H. Mansur.

was almost a neighbor to Cambridge before her limits were curtailed. In passing from Boston to Cambridge one had to pass through Roxbury. Andover is not far from Medford.

The early Mansur families all revolve around Charlestown.

The lack of probate settlements makes this a difficult family to trace. Then, too, during those years they appear to have enjoyed little landed property another obstacle.

The early death of Robert would have caused his sons to be put out as apprentices. Here we have a clew as to the probable scattering of the family.

I have pretty well exhausted the available records and I fear that little more can be obtained. I am in hope that an exhaustive search of Andover records, also Lovejoy probate and deeds will yield some more information.

This is to report progress. Very truly yours,

(Signed) EBEN PUTNAM.

ORIGIN OF THE MANSURS OF NEW ENGLAND.

The name Mansur is not a corruption of any similar French name.* It is derived from the old Norman Mansur, which was a Christian name and by the Normans introduced into England, but not now frequently met with in England.

[James Manzer was a passenger to Barbadoes, in the Alexander, 2 May, 1635. See "Drake's Founders of New England." He was aged 27.]

The earliest mention of the name in New England occurs on the Marriage Record of Charlestown, Mass.

* Charlestown was the centre of a settlement of many fishermen from the Isle of Jersey. Such were the Blaners, and Sallers, now Blaney, and Salle. It is possible that Manser was one of this group. The argument against this view is that the "er" has always been sounded, while in the other cases the spelling has been changed to agree with the pronunciation.

ROBERT MANSER OF CHARLESTOWN.

I. ROBERT MANSER married Elizabeth Brooks, 6 June, 1670.

He was living in 1677–8, but was probably dead before 1680 (Charlestown tithe lists), but there is no settlement of his estate.

Elizabeth Manser, Sr., and Elizabeth Manser, Jr., ordered to be summoned into court for not appearing at the court upon summons of the Charlestown Committee, 7 Oct., 1684.

29, 10 mo., 1684, they appear in court and their answer being accepted they are dismissed. *(Middlesex Court Records.)*

Wyman, in his "Estates," records that the widow Elizabeth Manser was to have a chamber at Thomas Barber's, 21 Oct., 1689. *(Selectmens' Records.)*

Elizabeth Manser, widow of Robert, died 3 Jan., 1694–5. There is no settlement of her estate.

CHILDREN:—

1. John, born about 1670.
2. Thomas, born before 1680.
3. William, born before 1680.
4. Elizabeth, æt. 13 in 1685; m. 3 Dec., 1687, Thomas Pope, a mariner.
5. Robert, born 15 April, 1674, at Charlestown. Nothing further regarding him has been discovered.

SECOND GENERATION.

II. 1. JOHN MANSER, possibly of Boston, but probably of Charlestown. He may have been born about 1670 as he married in 1695.

Was he a son of Robert Manser? That seems the most probable theory, but as yet there appears to be no evidence other than suitability in age and residence and station in life. There is nothing known to conflict with this theory.

John Manser married in Boston, 24 April, 1695, by Rev. James Allen, Mary Mirick. He is described as of Charlestown, and the bride as of Boston. His name is spelled Monsir. Wyman says Mary Mirick had been a servant of Anthony Stoddard in Charlestown.

No children are recorded to this marriage. Woburn records record the marriage of John Mansur to Elizabeth Hinshaw of Charlestown, 3 June, 1701. They had the following children, born in Charlestown :—

1-1. Elizabeth, born 28 Jan., 1702-3, bapt. 28 March, 1703.
1-2. John, born 10 Nov., bapt. 11 Nov., 1705.

There is no settlement of the estates of John or his wife.

Elizabeth Henshaw was the daughter of Thomas and Hannah (Cleveland) Henshaw of Woburn, and was born 30 July, 1678.

II. 2. THOMAS MANSUR was of Malden. Malden, Charlestown, and Medford, have always had much in common. The marriage of Thomas Mansur is not of record. His wife was Mary as appears from the birth records of his children. There appears little doubt but that he was son of Robert Mansur, and perhaps born as early as 1670.

The following children appear on Malden records:—

2-1. Mary, born 22 Sept., 1716.
2-2. Elizabeth, born 18 June, 1718.
2-3. Hannah, born 14 Oct., 1720.
2-4. Sarah, born 18 Sept., 1722.
2-5. Phebe, born 16 Jan., 1724-5.
2-6. Lydia, born 10 April, 1728; probably the Lydia who married William Binford in 1754. (See Wyman's "Charlestown's Estates.")
2-7. John, born 6 Nov., 1730.
2-8. Martha, born 1 June, 1734.

Mary Mansur of Malden, married William Barnes of Boston, 26 Jan., 1742-3.

Mary Mansur of Malden, married John Martin, 18 Sept., 1745.

"Thomas Mansur and wife Mary, last from Needham," are warned from Sudbury, 1717. They came to Sudbury beginning of Feb., 1716-7. *(Middlesex Court Rec., page 336.)* (Middlesex court rec.)

It was the custom to warn all new comers to town. This prevented responsibility falling on the town or participation in town commons, at least in theory. Most desirable people were sometimes "warned." Sudbury records contain no reference to births, marriages, or deaths of this family, or others of the name.

Needham was set off from Dedham in 1711. Dedham records contain no reference to the name.

Thomas Mansur of Malden, is undoubtedly he who was warned from Sudbury. On the 16 Dec., 1730, Jonathan Howard, Jr., gives to his friend and townsman, Thomas Mansser, a house in Malden. It is still standing on Madison Street, and after Manser's death was used as the town almhouse.

In 1756, the town paid a physician's bill for attendance on Martha Mansur, in the time of her sickness.

Thomas Mansur was a member of the church in 1772.

He was sexton (chosen in town meeting), 1733-4, 1738-9, 1739-40, and thereafter to 21 June, 1775. He probably died between March, 1775 and June, 1775. In 1763, he was one of the town's poor. *(Cory's Malden.)*

II. 3. WILLIAM MANSUR of Medford and of Roxbury. He married at Cambridge, 2 Feb., 1714–5, Lydia, daughter of Gershom and Sarah (Holden) Swan, of Cambridge, born 10 Nov., 1689.

He was of Medford. William Mansur, wife, and family were warned from Medford, 8 Oct., 1723, (Middlesex court rec.)

Children born in Medford:—

3–1. Lydia, born 10 April, 1716; died there 20 Aug. 1717.

The following adults were baptised in the Roxbury church:—

3–2. Sarah Manser, bapt. 16 March, 1740.
Lydia Manser, bapt. 30 March, 1740.
3–3. Susanna Manser, bapt. 30 March, 1740.
3–4. Mary Manser, bapt. 21 Nov., 1747.
Lydia Manser was married at Boston, 1 Dec., 1741, to Robert Cain.

Wyman says he was a brickmaker. He removed to Roxbury.

In 1763, William Manser sold to Robert Cain land in Roxbury toward Dedham, which was apparently the whole or part of a lot he had bought in 1731 from Abraham Woodward and wife. *(Suffolk Deeds).*

William Mansor was a corporal in the company of Capt. William Drummond Dummer and was stationed at the Castle (Boston Harbor) 26 weeks in 1725: also 1726 and 1727. *(Mass. Archives).*

17 Dec., 1720, William Mansier of Boston, soldier, *alias* William Mansier belonging to the Castle William *vs.* Nathaniel Spear of Braintree, Junior, miller, for debt, reciting that on 8 Dec., 1727, said Spear gave bond for £40 which remains unpaid, etc. *(Suffolk Files, 24027).*

THIRD GENERATION.

Tribe of Thomas.*

III. 2–7. John Mansur, son of Thomas, erroneously described by Wyman as son of John, born in Malden, 6 Nov.. 1730, was a soldier in 1756, 7, 8, 9. His service is given in the Mass. Archives, as follows :—

Impressed out of the 1st. Middlesex Regiment for expedition against Crown Point, according to order of 15 April, 1756, on roll dated 27 May, 1756, at Cambridge, Col. William Brattle, *Vol. 94, p. 224.*

It appears he served 31 weeks in 1756. *Vol. 95, p. 190.*

On another roll he is described as of Malden, aged 25, matross in Col. Gridley's regiment, mustered 8 May, 1756. *Vol. 94, p. 202.*

He served in 1757, as we learn from a note to roll for 1758, in which he is described as a private and of Charlestown, and as a deserter. *Vol. 96, p. 63.* (The desertion was probably technical rather than actual.)

It also appears he served seven months 1758. *Vol. 96, p. 337.*

Wyman says that Sarah Manser and child were notified (warned) from Charlestown, 1757. This would dovetail in with John's service in the army. Middlesex Court records tell us that John Manser, wife, and child were warned from Charlestown, 12 Dec., 1759, (not 1757), having been there six months and twelve days, and last from Malden. John Manser, wife, and John, Jr., were in the census of 1789, at Charlestown. Wyman

* We propose to describe this branch of the family before taking up the more important branch descended from John Mansur.

says that John, and his son John, were drowned in the Sand Cove in the narrows, 25 May, 1790.

Cory states that John Mansur was a private in 6th battalion, Capt. Robert Allen, Col. Alden's regiment, having enlisted for three years in 1777. He also adds the following information concerning his French War service. Drafted 15 April, 1756. Served at Crown Point with Capt. Lord. Was in service till December. Petitioned for pay. Was in Capt. Chadwick's company and taken sick at a place called Half Moon. Served in 1758 under Capt. Eben'r. Marrow.

He was taxed in Charlestown, 1761–73. Was driven to Medford in 1775, and claimed for loss on account of the British destruction of Charlestown. Bought a lot of land in 1777.

He married 26 July, 1753, at Malden, Sarah Bradish, born 27 Feb., 1731–2, daughter of John and Sarah (Sweetser) Bradish of Charlestown.

Children born in Charlestown:—

2–7–1. A child born before or in 1757; probably at Malden.
2–7–2. Ebenezer, born 6 Jan., 1760.
2–7–3. Seth, born 28 Oct., 1761.
2–7–4. John, born 18 May, 1766.
2–7–5. Samuel, born 11 March, 1768.
2–7–6. William, bapt. 28 June, 1772.

TRIBE OF THOMAS.

FOURTH GENERATION.

IV. 2-7-2. Ebenezer Mansur, son of John, born in Charlestown, 6 Jan., 1760: died 6 Oct., 1806, at Boston. Married (23 Nov., 1781) Elizabeth Brown of Boston. She died 31 July, 1812. Lived in Charlestown.

CHILDREN:—

2-7-2-1. Seth, born 1 July, 1782.
2-7-2-2. John, born 7 June, 1784.
2-7-2-3. Sally, born 19 June, 1786; married James Ayer.
2-7-2-4. William, born 26 Dec., 1788.
2-7-2-5. Ebenezer B., born 17 July, 1791; died 12 Dec., 1825; married 25 Dec., 1816, Mary Rea.
2-7-2-6. Thomas, born 31 Jan., 1794.
2-7-2-7. Betsy Brown, born 29 May, 1797.
2-7-2-8. Polly, born 15 June, 1799.
2-7-2-9. George Washington, born 9 May, 1801.
2-7-2-10. Robert, born 25 Jan., 1803.

IV. 2-7-5. SAMUEL MANSUR, son of John, born in Charlestown, 11 March, 1768; died — Feb., 1829, at Charlestown.

He married 3 Jan., 1790, Hepzibah Goodwin, who died 10 Feb., 1793, æt. 25; married, second, 2 Dec., 1793, Nancy Brown of Boston, who died 14 Jan., 1794, æt. 19; married, third, (pub. Oct., 1817) Mary Ann French. She had administration of husband's estate, 18 Aug., 1829. Estate $3,500.

A Mary Mansur died in Charlestown, April, 1830, æt. 40.

TRIBE OF JOHN.

THIRD GENERATION.

III. 1–2. JOHN MANSUR of Methuen, appears to be that John born in 1705, son of John, supposed son of Robert. If so, he would have been of age in 1726. He first comes to notice in 1729.

John Mansur of Andover for £72 N. E. money (i. e., $235) buys of Abel Astin and his wife Sarah of Methuen, forty acres in Methuen, bounded on John Guttason, Jr., Thomas Astin, James Baker, and John Guttason; deed dated 15 April, 1729; acknowledged 14 May, 1729; recorded 10 July, 1740. *Essex Deeds, 79-134.*

John Mansur of Andover, husbandman, buys of Thomas Astin and wife Sarah of Methuen, for £26, land there, being 20 acres, bounding on Benj. Gage, by Haverhill former line, late Eben. Barker, so on Haverhill line and William Gutterson. 24 May, 1726; ackowledged 27 May, 1729; recorded 10 July, 1740. *Essex Deeds, 79-134.*

Examination of Quarterly Sessions fails to find any notification of Mansur from any town in Essex as late as 1736.

John Mansur of Methuen, married in Andover 31 Dec., 1732, Hannah Lovejoy of the South Parish. *Andover Records.*

It is not clear who Hannah was. The Lovejoys are an old Andover family. Thomas Astin, or Austin, who sold the land above described, had married in 1714, Sarah, daughter of Christopher Lovejoy.

There was a Hannah, daughter of Joseph Lovejoy (by his wife Sarah Pritchard), born on 11 Feb., 1693-4, but she could hardly have been the mother of John Mansur's children.

There is no settlement of the estate of Christopher Lovejoy. It has been thought Hannah may have been his daughter.

John Manser (spelled Mancer on rolls) served in the French war. He was of the Train Band of Methuen in 1757. *Mass. Archives, 95-298.*

John Mancer, Jr., was also of the Train Band.

John Mancer appears on a muster roll sworn to 1 March, 1759, as of Lieut. Chandler's company, Col. Osgood's regiment, which marched on an alarm to the relief of Fort William Henry, Aug., 1757. They marched from Andover 15 Aug., to Worcester. Dated Andover 1 March, 1759. *Mass. Archives, 95-298.*

It is quite possible that this was the younger John.

Andover records contain no references to the family of John Mansur.

Administration on the estate of John Mansur of Methuen, yeoman, was granted to the relict Hannah, 5 Aug., 1776. Samuel Mansur was a surety. The inventory shows £55.

CHILDREN:—

1-2-1. John.
1-2-2. William, born 1 Jan., 1737.
1-2-4. James, born 7 Sept., 1744.
1-2-3. Elizabeth, m 28 Sept., 1758, at Methuen, to Samuel Bodwell.
1-2-5. Samuel, m. 2 May, 1765, at Methuen, to Sarah Varnum of Dracut.

Mr. Moses Mansur wrote the following account of the origin of the family, to his sister Lucinda :—

"When I was a little boy I was much in my grandmother's part of the house; people would come in and talk over old times. I listened. Our great-grandfather was born in 1702 and came from Jersey, an island belonging to England, lying near the French Coast. He was of French origin, Mansur being French.

"I have often heard grandmother, my grandmother, say when she was small the men were busy in the summer time at three o'clock in the morning. The women would put the saddle-bags on the horse and go off to Haverhill shopping, so as to get back before dark. Haverhill was the nearest trading place then, and the road was full of stumps, stones, and woods."

Mary (Harris) Mansur and her friends, talking of old times, would leave but a more or less confused account in the mind of a young lad. It is doubtful if the first John, being not more than ten when his father died, knew much about the origin of the family. It is quite possible Robert came from Jersey. The John of Methuen might easily have become confounded with John, son of Robert, his father, in the mind of the youthful listener.

He appears to have been a man of prominence in the community and was what was called a "tithing man." This curious office is now obsolete, but during its continuance it was a very important part of the economy of the New England village, and brought the official into very close relations with the townspeople. While his duties were connected with the church, he was also a town officer, and had many semi-secular duties to perform. Each tithing man had several neighboring families under his charge, originally ten, as the word "tithing" would signify. He enforced the learning of the church catechism at home, sometime during the week visited the houses to hear the children recite their catechism. These families he watched especially on Sundays, to see whether they all attended church and did not loiter on the way. In some Massachusetts towns he was ordered to watch on week days to keep "boys and all persons from swimming in the water." Truly ten large families, with many boys, such as were common in New England, must have kept him busy on hot August days.

He inspected taverns and reported all disorderly persons within, forbade the sale of intoxicating liquors to them, had power as a constable to arrest any evil-doer, administered the "oath of fidelity" to new citizens, and warned undesirable visitors to leave town. He could arrest persons who walked or rode at too fast a pace while going to meeting on Sunday, or who made needless visits or took unnecessary rides on Sunday, or otherwise broke the Sunday laws. Within the meeting house the tithing man kept order by beating out dogs, correcting unruly and noisy boys, and waking those who slept. To accomplish this, he sometimes walked up and down the church aisles, car-

rying a stick which had a knob on one end, and a dangling fox-tail on the other. It is said that he tapped the boys on the head with the knobbed end of the stick, and tickled the faces of sleeping church attendants with the fox-tail. In those days everybody old and young, was supposed to attend church. If any one was absent it was noticed, and if the absence continued three Sundays it was the duty of the tithing man to visit the family and ascertain the cause. Some old churches had tithing men until the beginning of this century.

John Mansur lived and died a strict Puritan, and now lies buried at Methuen, Mass., beside his son, James Mansur.

TRIBE OF JOHN.

FOURTH GENERATION.

1-2-1. JOHN MANSUR, of Methuen, son of John, probably born there, married Ruth , who had administration on his estate 5 August, 1776. All but the first of her children then living. She married second Wood, of Andover, Me., and had a son Phineas, born in Dracut, 1779, who died in Rumford, 28 April, 1846.

CHILDREN recorded at Methuen:—

1-2-1-1. Hannah, born 27 Sept., 1764; died before her father.
1-2-1-2. John, born 17 July, 1766.
1-2-1-3. Elijah, born 23 April, 1768.
1-2-1-4. Daniel, born 5 Dec., 1769. Settled in Stanstead, Lower Canada, he having visited Rumford afterward.
1-2-1-5. James, born 31 July, 1772.
1-2-1-6. Mehitable, born 14 Oct., 1774. Married (pub. Methuen, 1 April, 1798) Francis Richardson, Jr., of Methuen. They lived in Haverhill.

IV. 1-2-2. WILLIAM MANSUR, son of John, born in Dracut, 1 Jan., 1737: died , 1808; married, 1762, Isabel Harvey. He went from Dracut, Mass., to Wilton, N. H., now Temple, sometime previous to 1772, and it may be he was one of the very first settlers. He purchased lot No. 1, Wilton range of Temple lots in the extreme southwest corner of the town, then a wilderness, and possibly only to be traveled by marked trees.*

*History of Temple, page 231.

It was evidently a wild, lonesome place, for a grandchild of Mr. Mansur remembers being told that the wolves very frequently sat upon the hill around the house and stared into the windows, and the bears could be distinctly heard calling their cubs, under the hill. The following story is related by Deacon N. Wheeler, of Temple:* William Mansur was an early settler, I suppose the first on the lot now owned by Senator Blanchard at the Falls, now known as Blood's, on Skowhegan River, September 14th, 1762. He shut up his dog at home and started for Methuen, crossing the river southeast from his house at the fordway. He soon heard the dog yelping after him, and, looking, saw a panther following him. The dog ran under a heap of brush, and the panther sprang on top of it, as a cat after a mouse. The dog left the brush and ran to his master for protection. Mr. Mansur faced the creature, smote the ground with his staff, and made as formidable an appearance as possible; and he supposed by the help of his scarlet vest, he terrified the animal that he was pleased to run away, and leave him to pursue his journey.

Stirring times were at hand. The storm of resistance to British oppression, which had been gathering for some time, was about to break, and everybody in the settlement must take sides either for or against the Colonies. Fortunately, we are not left in uncertainty as to where William Mansur stood. His name appears several times among those who espoused the "patriot's cause," and we have a pretty fair account of his services during the "times that tried men's souls."

Early in the year 1776, the General Committee of Safety sent a communication to each of the several towns.† That to Temple reads:—

To the selectmen of Temple, Colony of New Hampshire. In Committee of Safety, April 12th, 1776. In order to carry the unwritten resolves of the Honorable Continental Congress into execution, you are requested to desire all males above 21 years, lunatics, idiots, and negroes excepted, to sign the Declaration on this paper, and when so done to make return hereof, together

*History of Temple, page 175.

†History of Temple, page 105.

with the name or names of all who shall refuse to sign the same, to the General Assembly or Committee of Safety of this Colony.

M. WEARE, Chairman.

IN CONGRESS, MARCH 14TH, 1776.

Resolved, That it be recommended to the several Assemblies, Conventions and Councils, or Committees of Safety of the United Colonies, immediately to cause all persons to be disarmed within their respective colonies, who are notoriously disaffected to the cause of America, or who have not associated or refuse to associate, to defend by arms the United Colonies against the hostile attempts of the British fleets and armies. CHARLES THOMPSON, Secretary.

Action was immediately taken by the Town Council, as follows:—

"In consequence of the above resolution of the Honorable Continental Congress, and to show our determination in joining our American brethren in defending the lives, liberties, and properties of the inhabitants of the United Colonies,—

"We, the subscribers, do solemnly profess our entire willingness at the risque of our lives and fortunes with arms to oppose the hostile attempts of the British fleets and armies against the United American Colonies, whenever and to such a degree as such attempts of British may require."*

This was signed by eighty-four persons, only two of whom, however, concern this narrative. The twelfth name is Peter Felt, who was the father of Hannah Felt, who married Stephen Mansur, No. 1-2-2-6, and the thirty-sixth name is William Mansur.

But he evidently was a man of deeds as well as words. We read: †

"April ye 19th, 1775.

A list of those persons (fifty-six) who marched from Temple to Cambridge, Mass., on the alarm of the 19th of April, 1775." (This was the battle of Lexington). William Mansur appears on the list, and the record shows he was gone six and one half days.

But this was not his only service. Twice afterward he volunteered in the Continental army. We find the following:‡—

*Minutes of Town Council.

†History of Temple, pages 96 and 97.

‡History of Temple, N. H., page 104.

"A list of those who engaged in ye Continental service, in Capt. Ezra Towne's company in Col. Reed's regiment for one year from January 7th, 1776." There are sixteen names in the list, of which William Mansur is the tenth, and Peter Felt, before mentioned, is the fourteenth. Again, June 29th, 1777, more than a year later, and presumably after the expiration of his former service, an alarm came from Ticonderoga, and the turnout was immense. There was a great rush to the town ammunition deposit, and there nine men drew powder, balls, and flints,and the next day they marched for Ticonderoga, thirty-seven all told, and in the list of names the twentieth is William Mansur. They were all in Capt Drury's company of Lt.-Col. P. Heald's regiment. He remained in the company during the siege, and when the American forces were compelled to evacuate the fort, retreated with them into Vermont.

William Mansur married Isabella Harvey. She was born in Dracut, Mass., 1739. It is not known precisely, when she removed to Temple, N. H., but it must have been soon after her marriage, for it is reported that she spent the greater part of her life there. Tradition relates that more than once she visited her friends in Dracut, traveling the whole journey of forty miles on horseback in one day, carrying her baby in her arms, and fording the Merrimac River on the way, the water rising to the pomel of the saddle. She survived her husband about twelve years, and died at Temple, N. H., December 27th, 1826, aged eighty-seven years, leaving more than eighty descendants.

CHILDREN born in Temple, N. H.:—

1-2-2-1. William, born 23 Aug., [29 Jan., Hist. of Wilton], 1763.
1-2-2-2. John, born 16 March, 1765.
1-2-2-3. Elizabeth, born 4 March, 1767; died in Andover, Vt., 1858; married Joseph Carrelton [Carleton, in Hist. of Wilton.]
1-2-2-4. Joseph, born 23 March, 1769; died in Stanstead, Canada.
1-2-2-5. Ezra, born 19 April, 1771.
1-2-2-6. Stephen, born 18 Dec., 1773.
1-2-2-7. Aaron, born 7 March, 1776.
1-2-2-8. Jeremy, born 16 April, 1778; d. y.
1-2-2-9. Hannah, born 13 Oct., 1779; lived at Springfield, Vt., and died there Feb., 1850; married Charles Hawkins, of Temple.
1-2-2-10. Harvey, born 11 July, 1784; d. y.

IV. 1-2-4. JAMES MANSUR, of Dracut, son of John, born 7 September, 1744; died 13 January, 1816. He married 28 March, 1776, [18 April, 1776, Methuen town record] Mary Harris, of Methuen, born 19 December, 1753; died 23 June, 1826. She was the daughter of Deacon Peter Harris of Methuen.

CHILDREN:—

1-2-4-1. Hannah Lovejoy, born 3 Jan., 1777; died 4 April, 1858.
1-2-4-2. James, born 9 Sept., 1779; died 8 Oct., 1829.
1-2-4-3. Mary, born 23 Oct., 1782; died 15 May, 1865.
1-2-4-4. Abigail, born 1 July, 1784; died 16 July, 1830.
1-2-4-5. Elizabeth, born 16 June, 1786.
1-2-4-7. Rhoda, born 20 February, 1789; died 11 March, 1866.
1-2-4-7. Daniel, born 19 March, 1791; died 26 July, 1829.
1-2-4-8. Eunice, born 15 Feb., 1791; died s. p. 27 Aug., 1829; married Abial Jones, of Andover.
1-2-4-9. John, born 29 June, 1795; died 25 Aug., 1829.

Mrs. Mansur before her marriage set out apple trees on the farm which was to be her future home. One of the trees is yet standing.

IV. 1-2-5. SAMUEL MANSUR, son of John, married at Methuen, 2 May, 1765, Sarah Varnum, of Dracut.

CHILDREN:—

1-2-5-1. Hannah, } twins, married Amos Griffen, of Methuen.
1-2-5-2. John, } John was drowned in the Merrimack.
1-2-5-3. Samuel, Jr., of Dracut; married there 25 Nov., 1790, Martha Varnum.
1-2-5-4. Clarissa, married .
1-2-5-5. Sarah Ann, married 5 Sept., 1831, Worthy White, Jr., of Methuen, "both of Methuen."

"Samuel Mansur, of Dracut built a house next to Grandfather Moses Bailey in Dracut and resided there. John (2) was drowned in the Merrimac River. Hannah married Amos Griffen, of Methuen. Samuel Jr., married a sister of Gen. Varnum, of Dracut. Clarissa also married, but name of husband unknown. Sarah Ann married T. W. White, of Methuen." This information is from a granddaughter of Samuel Mansur, Mrs. Hannah Jones, now living (1898) in Methuen in her 93d year.

TRIBE OF JOHN.

FIFTH GENERATION.

V. 1-2-1-2. JOHN MANSUR, son of John, born 17 July, 1766; died , 1835; married 9 Dec., 1791, Susanna Morrill, of Methuen, Mass., born 2 July, 1767; died in Monroe, Me., 18 April, 1855.

John Mansur was a Baptist deacon. He moved from Dracut, Mass., to East Andover, N. H., previous to 1800, thence to Belfast, Me., in 1802, and in 1807 to Monroe, Me.

CHILDREN:—

1-2-1-2-1. Susan, born 8 Oct., 1791; died.
1-2-1-2-2. John, 4th, born 4 June, 1793; died.
(Was drowned in the Ohio River when a young man.)
1-2-1-2-3. Morrill, born 31 March, 1795; died.
1-2-1-2-4. David, born 27 March, 1797; died.
1-2-1-2-5. Holton, born 17 April, 1799; died.
1-2-1-2-6. Moody, born 15 Feb., 1801; died.
1-2-1-2-7. Alvah, } born 16 Nov., 1804, } died.
1-2-1-2-8. Alvan, } died.
1-2-1-2-9. Rufus, born 7 Feb., 1806; died.
1-2-1-2-10. Reuben, born 7 March, 1811; died.

The following is an obituary notice of Susanna Morrill Mansur:—

"Departed this life in Monroe, Me., April 18th, 1855, Susanna, relict of Deacon John Mansur, aged eighty-seven years eight months.

"The subject of this notice was born in Methuen, Mass., July 2d, 1767. About the year 1790 she married John Mansur, of Dracut, Mass. In a few years they moved to East Andover, where they erected the first saw and grist mill ever built in that town; in 1802 they moved to Belfast, Me.; in 1807, to Monroe, then a wilderness without roads or bridges, where she buried her husband in 1835.

"She was remarkably blessed with health—had one daughter and nine sons, most of whom are now living. She retained her mental faculties in an eminent degree. Incidents of the Revolution, the 'Dark Day,' etc., were vivid in her recollections. She experienced religion in her youth and ever after taught it by precept and example to all with whom she associated. H. M."

V. 1-2-1-3. ELIJAH MANSUR, son of John, born 23 April, 1766; married 1 Dec., 1791, Lucy Messer. They settled in Rumford, Me.

CHILDREN:—

1-2-1-3-1. Elijah, born 29 June, 1792.*
1-2-1-3-2. Lucy, born 13 Oct., 1794*
1-2-1-3-3. Leonard, born 26 Jan., 1797.*
1-2-1-3-4. Asa, born 19 Feb., 1799.*
1-2-1-3-5. John, born 29 April, 1801.*
1-2-1-3-6. Warren,
1-2-1-3-7. Susan, , living in Rumford in 1887. She married Cyrus P. Newton.
1-2-1-3-8. Salome, , married Isaac Newcomb.
1-2-1-3-9. Hannah, , married Samuel Chapman.
1-2-1-3-10. Mary Jane, born in Rumford, 1820.

V. 1-2-1-4. DANIEL MANSUR, son of John, born 1 Sept., (one record gives it 5 Dec.), 1769, died 12 June, 1832; married 16 March, 1798, to Nancy Davis, of Barington, N. H.; born 18 Jan., 1776; died 22 May, 1863. They moved from Methuen, Mass., to Stanstead, Canada, in 1801.

CHILDREN:—

1-2-1-4-1. Lois, born 7 Sept., 1799; died.
1-2-1-4-2. John, born 2 July, 1802.
1-2-1-4-3. Daniel, born 7 Aug., 1804.
1-2-1-4-4. Ruth, born 14 March, 1806; died , 1864.
1-2-1-4-5. Horace, born 20 March, 1808.
1-2-1-4-6. Nancy, born 8 Aug., 1811; died , 1814.
1-2-1-4-7. Valeria, born 27 May, 1814.

V. 1-2-1-5. JAMES MANSUR, son of John, born 31 July, 1772.

CHILDREN:—

1-2-1-5-1. James, born 9 Sept., 1773; died 8 Oct., 1829.
1-2-1-5-2. Daniel, born 19 March, 1791; died 26 July, 1829.
1-2-1-5-3. Darius.
1-2-1-5-4. Hiram.
1-2-1-5-5. Comfort.
1-2-1-5-6. Ruth.
1-2-1-5-7. Maria.
1-2-1-5-8. One who married a Morrill.

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*These dates are from the town records of Methuen.

V. 1-2-2-1. WILLIAM MANSUR, son of William, born 29 Jan., 1763; died 6 Sept., 1844; married 1 March, 1787,* Sarah Bridge, of Littleton, Mass., who died 22 Oct., 1837, æt. 72. William Mansur was a farmer in Wilton, where he was first taxed in 1798. He was one of the first members of the Baptist church.

CHILDREN, born* probably in Wilton:—

1-2-2-1-1. William, born 21 Dec., 1787.
1-2-2-1-2. Lavina, born 20 Jan., 1790; died Sept., 1872; married Eben Adams, of Mason, N. H.
1-2-2-1-3. Jeremy, born 31 Dec., 1791.
1-2-2-1-4. Sarah, born 4 May, 1794; died March, 1873; married 27 June, 1816, Joseph Saunders, of Mason.
1-2-2-1-5. Samuel, born 17 Aug., 1796.
1-2-2-1-6. Perly, born 3 March, 1799.
1-2-2-1-7. Clara Farwell, born 2 Jan., 1801; died 14 Feb., 1892; married 29 March, 1825, Joseph Brooks Holt, a hotel proprietor at South Merrimack.
1-2-2-1-8. Josiah, born 31 Oct., 1802.
1-2-2-1-9. Abner, born 28 Aug., 1804; died at Groton Centre, 1 May, 1887.
1-2-2-1-10. Franklin, born 6 April, 1808; died after 1887.
1-2-2-1-11. Hiram, born 8 April, 1812.

V. 1-2-2-4. JOSEPH MANSUR of Morgan, Vt., son of William, born at Temple, N. H., 23 March, 1769; died at Morgan, Vt., Sept., 1860; married at Danville, 1798, Abiah, daughter of Captain Elliott of that place.

CHILDREN:—

1-2-2-4-1. Warren, born 23 June, 1800.
1-2-2-4-2. William, born March, 1802.
1-2-2-4-3. Betsey, born March, 1804; died March, 1870; married Zophar Mack, of Stanstead.

Joseph Mansur removed in 1816 to Stanstead, P. Q., and remained there six years. From 1822 till death he lived in Morgan, Vt. He was a shoemaker and a man of Christian virtues.

V. 1-2-2-6. STEPHEN MANSUR, son of William, born at Temple, N. H., 18 Dec., 1773; died 11 May, 1865, at Wilton,

*From an old Bible belonging to Sarah (Bridge) Mansur, copied by a daughter of Jeremy Mansur.

N. H.; married 6 Dec., 1798, Hannah Felt, of Temple, daughter of Peter Felt. She was born in Temple 16 Nov., 1778, and died 24 Feb., 1824. He was mayor of Lowell; trustee and director in the City Savings and Appleton Bank.

CHILDREN:—

1-2-2-6-1. Stephen, born 25 Aug., 1799.
1-2-2-6-2. Alvah, born 25 March, 1801.
1-2-2-6-3. John Taylor Gilman, born 12 March, 1803.
1-2-2-6-4. Charles, born 24 Nov., 1805.
1-2-2-6-5. Moody, born 3 Feb., 1808.
1-2-2-6-6. Lucy A., born 6 Jan., 1810.
1-2-2-6-7. Hannah Augusta, born 22 May, 1811; died 26 June, 1841; married, Lowell, 6 May, 1834, George M. Griffin.
1-2-2-6-8. Isaiah, born 19 Feb., 1815.
1-2-2-6-9. Mary Catherine, born 12 June, 1817; died 29 Oct., 1845; married 3 Jan., 1842, Samuel G. Pratt.
1-2-2-6-10. Stillman, born 17 Jan., 1820.
1-2-2-6-11. Porter, born 4 April, 1822.
1-2-2-6-12. Harriet Newell, born 17 Aug., 1826; married at Lowell, 24 Dec., 1851, John Dedarra; married, 2d, 29 Jan., 1871, Nathan Foster.

V. 1-2-2-7. AARON MANSUR, of Lowell; son of William born 7 March, 1776; died , 1859.

CHILDREN:—

1-2-2-7-1. Joseph Warren; died in Duxbury. He was a graduate of Harvard, and of the Law School. A prominent Democratic politician.
1-2-2-7-2. —— married Hon. John Nesmith; her daughter married Hon. Frederic Thomas Greenhalge, M. C., and Governor of Mass., 1893–6. Gov. Greenhalge died in Lowell, 5 March, 1896.
1-2-2-7-3. Abby, died 7 April, 1856; married Hon. S. W. Baird.

V. 1-2-4-1. HANNAH LOVEJOY MANSUR, daughter of James, born 3 Jan., 1777; died 4 April, 1858; married (pub. 2 Nov., 1800) Oliver Whittier, of Methuen.

CHILDREN:—

		Born	Died.
1-2-4-1-1.	John,		
1-2-4-1-2.	Oliver,	"	"
1-2-4-1-3.	Asa,	"	"
1-2-4-1-4.	Hannah,	"	"
1-2-4-1-5.	Mary,	"	"
1-2-4-1-6.	Jerry,	"	"

V. 1-2-4-2. JAMES MANSUR, son of James, born 9 Sept., 1779; died 8 Oct., 1829; married Abigail Griffin, of Methuen.

CHILDREN:—

1-2-4-2-1. Abigail.
1-2-4-2-2. James.
1-2-4-2-3. Rebekah.
1-2-4-2-4. Mary.
1-2-4-2-5. David.
1-2-4-2-6. Eleanor.
1-2-4-2-7. Urania.

Two of the daughters were living in 1893.

V. 1-2-4-3. MARY MANSUR, daughter of James, born 23 Oct., 1782; died 15 May, 1865; married James Stevens, of Andover, Mass.

CHILDREN:—

1-2-4-3-1. Mary.
1-2-4-3-2. James.
1-2-4-3-3. Clarissa.
1-2-4-3-4. Phineas.
1-2-4-3-5. Asenath.
1-2-4-3-6. Abigail.
1-2-4-3-7. Warren.

The children are all dead. Mr. Stevens was one of the first selectmen of Lawrence.

V. 1-2-4-4. ABIGAIL MANSUR, daughter of James, born 1 July, 1784; died 16 July, 1830; married (Int. 7 Aug., 1807), Samuel Richardson, 3d, of Orange, Vt., (of Methuen, Town Record). Lived in Dracut.

CHILDREN:—

1-2-4-4-1. Samuel.
1-2-4-4-2. Abigail.
1-2-4-4-3. David.
1-2-4-4-4. Varnum.
1-2-4-4-5. Joel.
1-2-4-4-6. Mary.
1-2-4-4-7. James.

Two children are living.

V. 1-2-4-5. ELIZABETH MANSUR, daughter of James, born 16 June, 1786; died ; married , 1807, John Hunt, of Andover, Mass.

CHILD:—

1-2-4-5-1- Hannah, ; m. Rev. Eastman, of Ann Arbor, Mich. He was a teacher.

V. 1-2-4-6. RHODA MANSUR, daughter of James, born 20 Feb., 1789; died 11 March, 1866; married George Titcomb, of Pelham, N. H.

CHILDREN:—

1-2-4-6-1. Moses.
1-2-4-6-2. Simeon.
1-2-4-6-3. Ephraim.
All dead.

V. 1-2-4-7. DANIEL MANSUR, son of James, born 19 Mar., 1791; died 26 July, 1829; married 1 December, 1814, Elizabeth M. Bailey, of Dracut, Mass., born 17 July, 1798; died 19 June, 1867.

CHILDREN, born at Dracut:—

1-2-4-7-1. Moses, born 23 September, 1815; died 4 March, 1896.
1-2-4-7-2. Lucinda, born 19 August, 1817.
1-2-4-7-3. Aaron, born 2 September, 1819; died 27 August, 1823.
1-2-4-7-4. William, born 18 December, 1821; died 26 February, 1879.
1-2-4-7-5. Aaron, born 23 June, 1824; disappeared.
1-2-4-7-6. Charles, born 15 January, 1827; died 21 February, 1897.

DANIEL MANSUR was a farmer, and lived and died in the house in which he was born. In March, 1823, while cutting logs in the woods, assisting his brother James, a tree fell on him and nearly killed him. He was confined to his bed for five months, although he eventually recovered and lived six years afterwards, he was never able to do any hard work.

He was a man of sterling worth, honest and upright in all his dealings, and greatly beloved by his friends and neighbors.

In 1829 there was an epidemic of typhoid fever in Methuen. Few homes escaped a visitation of the dread disease. There were not well enough to care for the sick. He died 26 July. On the 21st August a nephew died; on the 24th a brother, and

on the 27th a sister. In October another brother died. "My mother was so sick that she could not see her husband after he died." "Our relatives were mostly well-to-do farmers." Letter of Miss Lucinda Mansur.

ELIZABETH M. BAILEY, wife of Daniel Mansur, was born 17 July, 1798, at Dracut, Mass. She was descended from Lieut. Moses Bailey, of Andover, Mass., a Revolutionary soldier, of the Massachusetts Line. He lived to see 98 years, and the fifth generation of his descendants. On 25 July, 1765, he married Elizabeth Mooars, of Andover, Mass., by whom he had ten children, five sons and five daughters.

His oldest son, Moses Bailey, was born 20 October, 1766, and married Mehitabel Chase, of Andover, Mass., who was born 12 December, 1768. There were six children, two sons and four daughters, as the fruit of this union, of whom Elizabeth M. Bailey was the fifth child. Elizabeth M. Mansur, widow of Daniel Mansur, married, second, 22 September, 1831, Samuel Richardson, of Dracut, Mass., a farmer, who died 12 February, 1833. He was born at Dracut, 5 October, 1808. By him she had a child, Augusta Ann, born 17 July, 1832, who married 20 Sept., 1850, George Homer Foye* of Andover,

*George Homer Foye, husband of Augusta Ann Richardson, was born at Boston, Mass., on 14 January, 1828. He was the son of Jonathan and Hannah Foye, of Barrington, N. H. In 1832 his parents removed to Andover, Me., and engaged in farming. He came to Methuen in November, 1847, and went to work in the mills of the Methuen Manufacturing Co. He remained in their employ until his death, 7 October, 1896, a period of forty-nine years.

For nearly forty years he was foreman of the department in which he worked, and enjoyed the confidence of his employers to a high degree. He was a man of genial disposition, and had the faculty of making hosts of friends.

Children, both born in Methuen; Emma Adell Foye, born 5 August, 1853; at Methuen, Mass. After attending school in her own town, she went to the high school at Salem, Mass., to qualify herself for teaching, and graduated with honor. She taught school until her marriage to Eldridge L. Kent, which occurred 7 December, 1880, when she removed to Lawrence, Mass. Her husband sold out his business of baker and confectioner, and finally she removed to Methuen, Mass., where she now lives. She has three children, all born in Methuen, Grace E. Kent, born 16 Oct., 1881, died; Clarence L. Kent, born 2 Aug., 1883; Arthur S. Kent, born 23 Sept., 1888; Iza A. A. Foye, born 26 Feb., 1862; married 24 Dec., 1883; Winchell W. Messer, of Methuen. They have three children: George C. Messer, born 27 April, 1884; Clarence W. Messer, born 17 Oct., 1885; Helena G. Messer, born 15 Feb., 1891.

Me. She resided in Dracut, Mass., until the death of her second husband, then removed to Methuen, Mass., living there twenty-eight years, but returned to Dracut, where she died 19 June, 1867, in her 69th year.

She was a woman of strong will and great force of character, and brought up her large family with great strictness, but with it all was a good mother, a dutiful wife, and a good neighbor.

V. 1-2-4-9. JOHN MANSUR, son of James, born June, 1795; died 25 Aug., 1829; married Lydia Thistle, of Pelham, N. H.

CHILDREN:—

1-2-4-9-1. Hannah.
1-2-4-9-2. John, ; living in 1893.
1-2-4-9-3. Eliphalet.
1-2-4-9-4. Lydia.
All dead but John, who is cared for by the town.

TRIBE OF JOHN.

SIXTH GENERATION.

VI. 1-2-1-2-10. REUBEN MORRILL MANSUR, son of John, born 7 Mar., 1811; died ; married Serena Boyd, settled in Houlton, Maine.

CHILDREN:—

1-2-1-2-10-1. John Sargent.
1-2-1-2-10-2. Morrill.
1-2-1-2-10-3. Susie.
1-2-1-2-10-4. Charles E., born , 1841; lives in Houlton.
1-2-1-2-10-5. Velzora T.
1-2-1-2-10-6. Hickory.
1-2-1-2-10-7. Lydia.
1-2-1-2-10-8. Helen.
1-2-1-2-10-9. Adelbert W.

VI. 1-2-1-3-2. LUCY MANSUR, daughter of Elijah, born 13 Oct., 1794; died ; married (Int. at Rumford, Me., 15 Sept., 1823,) Stephen Abbott, who was aged 48 in 1850 (see History of Rumford).

CHILDREN:—

1-2-1-3-1. Charles H. Abbott, born 1826.
1-2-1-3-2. Maria H. " born 1829.

VI. 1-2-1-3-5. JOHN MANSUR, son of Elijah, born 29 April, 1801.

In 1850 the Rumford, Me., Census shows as living John Mansur, æt. 38, Susan Mansur, æt. 37. The age of John is incorrectly given.

VI. 1-2-1-3-6. WARREN MANSUR, of Rumford, Me., son of Elijah, born in Mass., æt. 46 in 1850; married 11 Feb., 1837, at Rumford, Elvira M. Barnes, æt. 38 in 1850, born in N. H. He was a shoemaker. Postmaster at Rumford Point, 1855-1862.

CHILDREN:—

1-2-1-3-6-1. Thomas Hersey, born 15 Feb., 1838; (for a time in Belfast, Me).

1-2-1-3-6-2. George E.,* born 1842; clerk in provision store in Stoneham, living with his aunt, Mrs. Lyman, in 1887. He was wounded at Gettysburg.

1-2-1-3-6-3. Mary J., born , 1844; married Dr. Hiram F., son of Hiram and Mary (Huston) Abbot (their m. int. 2 June, 1835), at Rumford. Lives at Rumford Point.

1-2-1-3-6-4. Susan F., born , 1846.

1-2-1-3-6-5. John W., born , 1849.

VI. 1-2-1-3-10. MARY JANE MANSUR, daughter of Elijah, born in Rumford, Me., 1820.

She lived in Rumford till she was sixteen years old then visited her sister in Boston, where she married George Lyman.

Mr. Lyman died in 1850, leaving his widow real estate in Boston, but she lived for many years in Stoneham (1887). Her nephew, George, son of Warren Mansur, lives with her. She supplied valuable information regarding this line. She also had the tradition that John, of Methuen, was born in 1702 and came from England. She remembered a handsome and peculiar bottle with the initials H. L. blown in it. Their family papers were destroyed by fire in her father's house.

No children.

VI. 1-2-2-1-1. WILLIAM MANSUR, son of William Mansur, born in Wilton, N. H., 21 Dec., 1787; married, Dec., 1814, Gertrude Horton, of Cincinnati, O.; married the second 8 Dec., 1825, Syrena White, of Delaware, O.

CHILDREN:—

1-2-2-1-1-1. Isaiah, born 18 Jan., 1816; died 11 Jan., 1823.

1-2-2-1-1-2. Harriet, born 22 July, 1817.

1-2-2-1-1-3. Charles N., born 6 Aug., 1819; died.

1-2-2-1-1-4. William J., born 10 March, 1823; died 11 Aug., 1824.

1-2-2-1-1-5. William B., born 15 Sept., 1826; died 1 Jan., 1856.

1-2-2-1-1-6. Sarah J., born 1 Sept., 1829; died 17 May, 1894.

1-2-2-1-1-7. Serena, born 25 Feb., 1832.

1-2-2-1-1-8. Elmina, born 24 May, 1834; died 2 April, 1855.

1-2-2-1-1-9. Henry S., born 2 Aug., 1842.

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*George T. Mansur mustered into Company A, 12th Maine Inf., 21 Nov., 1861. Mustered out, as sergeant, 7 Dec., 1864, at Rumford.

VI. 1-2-2-1-2. LAVINA MANSUR, daughter of William Mansur; married 8 Dec., 1811, Eben Ayer Adams, of Mason, N. H., son of John and Mary (Adams) Adams, born 15 Nov., 1786. He died 22 Nov., 1867, at Mason.

CHILDREN, born in Mason:—

1-2-2-1-2-1. Mariah Adams, born 18 Oct., 1812, married J. G. Winship.
1-2-2-1-2-2. Prescott Adams, born 1810; died 1819.
1-2-2-1-2-3. Samuel E. Adams, born 1 April, 1820.
1-2-2-1-2-4. Abel Edward Adams, born 25 June, 1824.
1-2-2-1-2-5. Aaron A. Adams, born 25 June, 1824.
1-2-2-1-2-6. Lucius Adams, born May, 1827; died 1829.
1-2-2-1-2-7. Sarah Amanda Adams, born 10 July, 1834; married H. K. French.

VI. 1-2-2-1-3. JEREMY MANSUR, son of William Mansur; married 2 May, 1814, Jane, daughter of Thomas Carr, of Kentucky, born 24 Feb., 1794. She died 19 Sept., 1881.

CHILDREN:—

1-2-2-1-3-1. Mary Ann, born 22 Feb., 1815.
1-2-2-1-3-2. Clarissa, born 17 June, 1817.
1-2-2-1-3-3. William, born 20 Jan., 1819.
1-2-2-1-3-4. Sarah Jane, born 5 June, 1821.
1-2-2-1-3-5. Isaiah, born 14 April, 1824.
1-2-2-1-3-6. Frank Land, born 8 April, 1828, died suddenly at Richmond, Ind., 26 Feb., 1871; married, 1869, Ella Shaw, of Richmond, Ind., who died 7 Nov., 1873. No children.
1-2-2-1-3-7. James, born 18 Jan., 1831; died 4 Nov., 1832.

Jeremy Mansur, the father, was born in Temple, N. H., 31 Dec., 1791, and died 17 Jan., 1875.

VI. 1-2-2-1-4. SARAH MANSUR, daughter of William Mansur, born 4 May, 1794; married , 1816, Joseph Sanders, of Mason, N. H.

CHILDREN:—

1-2-2-1-4-1. Samuel Sanders; married Syrena ———, and had three children.
1-2-2-1-4-2. Charles " ; twice married. Two children.
1-2-2-1-4-3. Emily " ; married F. C. Burtt, of Townsend, Mass. Three children.
1-2-2-1-4-4. Harriet " ; married Edwin Davis, of Fitchburg. Three children.
1-2-2-1-4-5. Sarah W. "

VI. 1-2-2-1-5. SAMUEL MANSUR, son of William Mansur, born 17 Aug., 1796; married Martha Collins, of Boston, Mass.

CHILDREN:—

1-2-2-1-5-1. Samuel, born
1-2-2-1-5-2. George, "
1-2-2-1-5-3. Martha, "
1-2-2-1-5-4. Dora, "
1-2-2-1-5-5. John, " ; died 3 Dec., 1880; married Priscilla Sears, of Dorchester, Mass.
1-2-2-1-5-6. A daughter, " ; married —— Thayer, of Springfield, Vt. One child.

VI. 1-2-2-1-6. PERLEY MANSUR, son of William Mansur, born 3 March, 1799; died ; married

CHILDREN:—

1-2-2-1-6-1. George.
1-2-2-1-6-2. Mariah; married James Bunnell, of Hudson, Ohio.
1-2-2-1-6-3. James; married Annie Clark, of Townsend, Mass. Three children.

VI. 1-2-2-1-7. CLARA FARWELL (Clarissa) MANSUR, daughter of William Mansur, born Wilton, N. H., 2 Jan., 1801; died 14 Feb., 1892, at North Chelmsford; married at Wilton, 29 March, 1825, Joseph B. Holt, of Wilton, N. H. He carried on a hotel at South Merrimack and died in 1851.

CHILDREN:—

1-2-2-1-7-1. Clara A. Holt, born 29 Dec., 1826.
1-2-2-1-7-2. George B. " married Sarah Ferson, of Nashua, N. H.
1-2-2-1-7-3. William M. " married Margaret Fierce, of Hooperton, Ill. Three children.
1-2-2-1-7-4. Elizabeth P. " married F. F. Blodgett, of Chelmsford, Mass.
1-2-2-1-7-5. Charles A. " married Mary Finney, of Chelmsford, Mass. One child.
A Child.

Mrs. Holt lived with her daughter, Mrs. F. J. Adams, for forty years till her death.

VI. 1-2-2-1-8. ISAIAH MANSUR, son of William Mansur, married Mary King, of Wilton, N. H.

CHILDREN:—

1-2-2-1-8-1. Mariah; married John Hartson, of Wilton, N. H. Ch., George M.
1-2-2-1-8-2. Isaiah; married Louisa Parkhurst, of Groton, Mass. One child.

VI. 1-2-2-1-9. ABNER MANSUR, son of William Mansur, married Lucy Sawtelle, of Mason, N. H.

CHILDREN:—

1-2-2-1-9-1. Charles.
1-2-2-1-9-2. George; married Mary Handblox, of Augusta, Me. Four children.
1-2-2-1-9-3. Lucy; married William Parsons of Ayer, Mass.

VI. 1-2-2-1-10. FRANKLIN MANSUR, son of William Mansur, married

CHILDREN:—

1-2-2-1-10-1. Elizabeth; married Mr. Baldwin of Laconia, N. H.
1-2-2-1-10-2. Charles; has one child.
1-2-2-1-10-3. Hiram; married.
1-2-2-1-10-4. Albia.

VI. 1-2-2-1-11. HIRAM MANSUR, son of William Mansur, born 8 Aug., 1812, at North Chelmsford; died 2 Oct., 1879, on his plantation; married Mary Spencer, of New Orleans, La., born about 1835.

CHILDREN:—

1-2-2-1-11-1. Joseph P. æt. 24, in 1879; married.
1-2-2-1-11-2. Mary æt. 17, " married Mr. Crayton of Baton Rouge, La.
1-2-2-1-11-3. Warren æt. 12, "
1-2-2-1-11-4. Lucy æt. 10, "
1-2-2-1-11-5. Alma æt. 5, "
Seven died young.

About the year 1840 or earlier he settled in Lousiana about ten miles below Baton Rouge. In 1879 he visited North Chelmsford, the first time in forty years. During the war he was a Union man, but suffered from both sides. He lost $250,000 during the war. At his death he owned 1,200 acres near Baton Rouge, and 1,000 acres in Texas.

VI. 1-2-2-4-1. WARREN MANSUR, son of Joseph, born in Danville, Vt., 23 June, 1800; died at Island Pond, Vt.; Jan., 1885; married at Morgan, Vt., August, 1825, Jane A., daugher of John Morse, of Barnet, Vt., a descendant of a Mayflower

pilgrim. She died Oct., 1891, æt. 84 years, 7 months. Mr. Mansur was a farmer and a republican. His first vote was for J. Q. Adams for president.

CHILDREN:—

1-2-2-4-1-1. Susan, ; married T. F. Ballard, of Springfield, Mass., who died Sept., 1880, leaving five children.

1-2-2-4-1-2. Joseph Aaron, settled in Island Pond, 1859; died there Oct., 1896, unmarried. He held many town and county offices and a commission in the State Guards during the Civil War.

1-2-2-4-1-3. Warren, died of consumption, at Morgan, in 1859. School teacher.

1-2-2-4-1-4. Eliza J., born ; died March, 1885. She married Mark Wiggins and lived in Sleepy Eye, Minn. Three children.

1-2-2-4-1-5. Abiah A., born 1836; died at Island Pond, 9 April, 1896; married Charles Blake, of Derby, Vt., who was killed in battle at Winchester, 19 Sept., 1864.

1-2-2-4-1-6. Jacob C., Enlisted in K. Co., 10th Vt. Vol., and served three years. Now lives in Los Gatos, Cal., a merchant. He married, after the war, Martha Ray, of Hinesburgh, Vt., who died in California, childless.

1-2-2-4-1-7. Sarah C., twin with Jacob C., died Oct., 1865, Charlestown, Vt. She married Henry Allbee, of Morgan, and had two daughters, one of whom married Joel H. Rosebrook, and lives in Barton, Vt.

1-2-2-4-1-8. Mary A., Lives on the homestead at Island Pond, unmarried. She was a successful school teacher.

1-2-2-4-1-9. Zophar, died in infancy.

1-2-2-4-1-10. Zophar M., born in Morgan, 19 Nov., 1843.

1-2-2-4-1-11. Luella H., lives, unmarried, at Island Pond, on the homestead.

1-2-2-4-1-12. John K., died in infancy.

1-2-2-4-1-13. Orange L., a grocer at Island Pond. He was an assistant postmaster for many years. He married Mehitable Kimpton, but has no children.

1-2-2-4-1-14. Emma A., formerly a school teacher; married H. H. Hobson, of Island Pond, a lumber merchant in Hastings, Me. She has a son and daughter.

VI. 1-2-2-4-2. WILLIAM MANSUR, son of Joseph, a farmer, of Morgan, Vt.; died at Morgan, Sept., 1880; married , Hannah Blood, of Derby, Vt., who died Sept.,

1871. They have no descendants bearing the Mansur name. Two of the sons married.

CHILDREN:—

1-2-2-4-2-1. Betsey, ; died in infancy.

1-2-2-4-2-2. Betsey, ; married William Demick, who died . She lives in Morgan. Ch.: William, Celia.

1-2-2-4-2-3. Harvey, ; died, 1862.

1-2-2-4-2-4. Samuel, ; died ; married Miss Townsen.

1-2-2-4-2-5. Sally M., ; married Warren Twombly; married second Jewett Hill and lives at Barton, Vt. One son, Wilmer Z. Twombly.

1-2-2-4-2-6. Hannah, ; died

1-2-2-4-2-7. Moses, ; died

1-2-2-4-2-8. Alzina, ; died ; married Nickerson Morse.

VI. 1-2-2-4-3. BETSEY MANSUR, daughter of Joseph, born in Danville, Vt., March, 1804; died March, 1870; married , Zophar Mack, of Stanstead, P. Q.

CHILDREN, (all dead):

1-2-2-4-3-1. William Mack.
1-2-2-4-3-2. Mary "
1-2-2-4-3-3. George "
1-2-2-4-3-4. Lydia "
1-2-2-4-3-5. Clarissa "
1-2-2-4-3-6. Flora "
1-2-2-4-3-7. Lurana "
1-2-2-4-3-8. Rebecca "
1-2-2-4-3-9. Elizabeth "
1-2-2-4-3-10. Edwin "

VI. 1-2-2-6-2. ALVAH MANSUR, of St. Louis, son of Stephen, born 25 March, 1801; died at Lowell, 1 Nov., 1840; married, at Littleton, Mass., 11 March, 1829, Elizabeth Wood, who died 5 Sept., 1862.

VI. 1-2-2-6-4. CHARLES MANSUR, son of Stephen, born 24 Nov., 1805; died Ray County, Mo., 12 Aug., 1847; mar-

ried 18 May, 1834, at Philadelphia, Rebecca A. Wills, who died 8 May, 1873, in Ray County.

CHILD:—

1-2-2-6-4-1. Charles H., born in Philadelphia, 6 March, 1835.

VI. 1-2-4-7-1. MOSES MANSUR, son of Daniel, born 23 Sept., 1815; died 4 March, 1896; married 29 July, 1841, at Philadelphia, Catherine Hoffman, of Lancaster County, Penna.

CHILDREN: All but the eldest born in Philadelphia:—

1-2-4-7-1-1. John Hoffman, born 25 May, 1842.

1-2-4-7-1-2. Annie Elizabeth, born 23 May, 1845; married Wm. S. Schofield; married, second, Wm. P. Cahill.

1-2-4-7-1-3. George W., born 23 Oct., 1848; died unmarried, 2 Feb., 1872.

1-2-4-7-1-4. Charles H., born 29 Aug., 1851.

1-2-4 7-1-5. Catherine, born 15 July, 1856; died 10 April, 1859.

1-2-4-7-1-6. Warren Bailey, born 26 Jan., 1860.

MOSES MANSUR worked at farming on the homestead until about fifteen years old, when he went to Methuen, Mass., and learned the trade of blacksmithing. About the year 1839 he came to Philadelphia, and went to work for William Beach, a manufacturer of curry combs. Afterwards he engaged in the business of vise making on his own account, which he continued till 1882, when he gave it up, and began the manufacture of curry combs.

He was of a very retiring disposition, rarely speaking unless spoken to, and of domestic tastes. He lived a quiet, uneventful life, and died in Philadelphia, 4 March, 1896. in the eighty-first year of his age.

CATHERINE HOFFMAN, wife of Moses Mansur, was born at Windsor Forge, Lancaster County, Penna., on 15 Jan., 1816. Her father's name was John Hoffman, and her mother's name was Elizabeth Hamilton.

She came to Philadelphia in 1839. After the death of her husband in 1896, she removed to Royersford, Pa., and resides with her daughter, Annie Elizabeth Cahill.

VI. 1-2-4-7-2. LUCINDA MANSUR, daughter of Daniel Mansur, was born at Dracut, Mass., 19 Aug., 1817. She never

married but remained at home. Being a capital nurse, she was in great demand in case of sickness among the other members of the family. In the year 1846, she came to Philadelphia to visit her brother Moses, remaining nearly a year. This was the only time she was away for any length of time, and ever since has quietly resided at the old homestead in Dracut, Mass., which was the home of the grandfather.

VI. 1-2-4-7-4. WILLIAM MANSUR, son of Daniel, born 18 Dec., 1821, at Dracut; died there 26 Feb., 1879; married 30 Dec., 1845, Jerusha Frances Hickok, of Middlebury, Vt.

CHILDREN:—

1-2-4-7-4-1. Mary Francis, born 8 Dec., 1846; died 7 April, 1847.
1-2-4-7-4-2. Clara Inez, born 28 June, 1849; married Joseph Richardson.
1-2-4-7-4-3. Myra Agnes, born 7 March, 1851; married Edwin Richardson.

WILLIAM MANSUR, born at Dracut, Mass., was a machinist, and followed the trade for many years. In 1862 he bought the old homestead, and cultivated it until his death, which occurred 26 Feb., 1879. He lived a quiet, retired life, and was held in high esteem by all who knew him.

JERUSHA FRANCES HICKOK, wife of William Mansur, was born in Shoreham, Vt., but spent the first eighteen years of her life in Middlebury, Vt. She came to Lowell, Mass., in 1838, and resided there until her marriage in 1845. She then removed to Methuen, Mass., where she lived about seventeen years, or till 1862, when her husband bought the old homestead at Dracut, Mass., where she has since resided.

VI. 1-2-4-7-5. AARON MANSUR, son of Daniel Mansur, was born at Dracut, Mass., 23 June, 1824. He learned the trade of carriage building and carried on the business in Haverhill, Mass., with his brother Charles. On 25 Feb., 1850, he disappeared, leaving nothing behind to show what had become of him. His relatives were greatly alarmed, and made every effort by advertisement and otherwise to discover his whereabouts, but without avail. It remained a mystery for nearly eight years, when one morning he walked into the house of his brother Moses, in

Philadelphia. After remaining a few days, he left, ostensibly to visit his folks in Dracut, Mass., but he never reached there and has never been heard of since. On 12 Feb., 1858, he married Martha Jane Dollins, of Richmond, Ky., who after her husband's disappearance in 1858, was married to Charles G. Renfro.

VI. 1-2-4-7-6. CHARLES MANSUR, son of Daniel, born at Dracut, 15 Jan., 1827; died 21 Feb., 1897; married 19 April, 1849, Lucinda C. Whittier, of Haverhill, Mass.

CHILDREN born in Haverhill:—

1-2-4-7-6-1. Charles Kendall, born 27 Feb., 1850.
1-2-4-7-6-2. George Henry, born 26 Oct., 1854.
1-2-4-7-6-3. Moses Bailey, born 29 Sept., 1857; died 1 June, 1859.
1-2-4-7-6-4. Frank Daniel, born 28 Aug., 1863.

CHARLES MANSUR learned carriage building, and after finishing in his trade, went to Haverhill, Mass., and established himself in business there, with his brother Aaron, continuing till his brother's disappearance, when he carried it on alone for many years.

Like his brothers, he was of a retiring disposition, but had a large circle of friends, and possessed the entire respect of the community in which he lived. He lived in Haverhill over fifty years, and died there 21 Feb., 1897.

LUCINDA C. WHITTIER, wife of Charles Mansur, was born on 2 Feb., 1832, in Haverhill, Mass. She is the daughter of William Whittier and Nancy Dunnels, both of Haverhill, Mass. She has lived all her life in Haverhill.

TRIBE OF JOHN.

SEVENTH GENERATION.

VII. 1-2-1-2-10-4. CHARLES E. MANSUR, son of Reuben M., born 1841, married 26 June 1865, Annie Jane McGinley, born 1843. They live at Houlton, Me., on the homestead.

CHILDREN born in Houlton:—

1-2-1-2-10-4-1. Ernest Milton, born 24 Feb., 1867.
1-2-1-2-10-4-2. Raymond Pearl, born Dec., 1871.
1-2-1-2-10-4-3. Laura Serena, born 1 July, 1874.
1-2-1-2-10-4-4. Stella Hope, born 4 July, 1883.

VII. 1-2-2-1-1-2. HARRIET MANSUR, daughter of William Mansur, born 22 July, 1817, at Delaware, Ohio. She lived at home till her marriage, 4 Sept., 1844, at Cincinnati, O., to John P. Epply, of Cincinnati, O., born 9 Jan., 1818, in York Co., Pa., died 22 Sept., 1897, at Cincinnati.

Mr. Epply was in business in Cincinnati for many years as an undertaker.

CHILDREN born in Cincinnati:—

1-2-2-1-1-2-1. John Horton Eppley, born 9 June, 1845; died 19 Dec., 1878.
1-2-2-1-1-2-2. William Wesley " " 7 Aug., 1847; " 17 Feb., 1848.
1-2-2-1-1-2-3. Charles Mansur " " 30 Nov., 1848.
1-2-2-1-1-2-4. William Horace " " 10 Jan., 1851.
1-2-2-1-1-2-5. Ella Gertrude " " 11 Jan., 1853.
1-2-2-1-1-2-6. Mary Belle " " 27 July, 1855.

VII. 1-2-2-1-2-1. MARIAH ADAMS, daughter of Lavina Mansur, born 18 Oct., 1812; died at Bradford, Vt., Aug. 1876. Married, 26 May, 1836, Joseph Carter Winship, of Henniker.

CHILD:—

1-2-2-1-2-1-1. Mary Elizabeth Winship, born 29 Feb., 1843; married 27 Jan., 1859, Henry K. Carton, who died . She lives at Bradford, Vt.

VII. 1-2-2-1-2-4. ABEL EDWARD ADAMS, son of Lavina Mansur, born in Mason, N. H., 25 June, 1824; died 5 Nov., 1892, at Greenville, N. H.; married 1 May, 1851, Eliza A. Mason, of Auburn, Me.

CHILDREN, born in Mason :—

1-2-2-1-4-1-1. Nellie E., born 4 April, 1852; unmarried.
1-2-2-1-4-1-2. Emma J., born 10 Aug., 1855; unmarried.
1-2-2-1-4-1-3. Lizzie L., born 25 Feb., 1859; died 26 Oct., 1863.
1-2-2-1-4-1-4. Ida F., born 27 Aug., 1862; died 12 Sept., 1876.

VII. 1-2-2-1-2-5. AARON A. ADAMS, son of Lavina Mansur, born at Mason, N. H., 25 June, 1824; married 22 May, 1855, Mary A. Lucas, of Groton, Mass. Mr. Adams has been postmaster at Belmont, Mass., for twenty-six years. He is a grocer.

CHILDREN, born at Belmont:—

1-2-2-1-2-5-1. James B., born 22 March, 1856; died 26 Dec., 1881.
1-2-2-1-2-5-2. Julia L., born 1 Jan., 1858; married 25 Oct., 1894, Hazen M. Weeks. Ch. Eleanor, born 2 Feb., 1896, at Belmont.
1-2-2-1-2-6-3. William L., born 22 March, 1862.
1-2-2-1-2-5-4. Helen M., born 1 May, 1866.

VII. 1-2-2-1-2-7. SARAH AMANDA ADAMS, daughter of Lavina Mansur, born in Mason, N. H., 10 July, 1834; married 20 Nov., 1855, Henry K. French, of Peterboro, N. H.; born 21 Jan., 1826. Live at Peterboro.

CHILDREN:—

1-2-2-1-2-7-1. Charles H. French, born 22 Dec., 1856; died 2 Feb., 1895, at Brooklyn, N. Y.; married 30 April, 1879, Edna L. Bradley, born 27 July, 1857.
1-2-2-1-2-7-2. Hattie A. French, born 27 Aug., 1858; died 24 Oct., 1887; married 30 April, 1884, Dr. J. O. Tilton, of Lexington, Mass.
1-2-2-1-2-7-3. George A. French, born 22 Sept., 1860; married 20 June, 1894, Isabelle C. Derring. Lives at Duluth, Minn.

VII. 1-2-2-1-3-1. MARY ANN MANSUR, daughter of Jeremy Mansur, born 22 Feb., 1815; married 10 Sept., 1831, John H. Wright of Philadelphia.

CHILDREN:—

1-2-2-1-3-1-1. Franklin M. Wright, born 1 May, 1833; died 4 Feb., 1896.
1-2-2-1-3-1-2. Mansur H. Wright, born 7 March, 1835; died 27 Dec., 1885.
1-2-2-1-3-1-3. D. Mary Jane Wright, born 29 Nov., 1837; died 20 May, 1839.

John H. Wright, the first husband was born 7 Feb., 1807. He was the son of John and Hester Wright of Philadelphia. He was a dry goods merchant, and for a time carried on the business in partnership with his brother-in-law, William Mansur. He died 11 July, 1846.

Mrs. Wright, married, second, 27 July, 1847, Dr. Charles Parry of Philadelphia. No children.

Dr. Chas. Parry was born 14 Feb., 1814. He was a physician. He died 11 Aug., 1861.

VII. 1-2-2-1-3-2. CLARISSA MANSUR, daughter of Jeremy Mansur, born at Richmond, Ind., 17 Jan., 1817; died 5 April, 1898, at St. Louis; married 5 Sept., 1837, James C. Ferguson, of Indianapolis, Ind., born 8 Oct., 1810, in Bourbon Co., Ky., died 24 July, 1891 at San Jose, Cal.

CHILDREN:—

1-2-2-1-3-2-1. Mansur C. Ferguson, born 13 Aug., 1838; died 21 Dec., 1839.

1-2-2-1-3-2-2. Mary Frances " " 2 March, 1840; married 28 Jan., 1868, Nathan M. Neeld of St. Louis, Mo.

1-2-2-1-3-2-3. Isabella M. Ferguson, born 12 Aug., 1842; died 24 June, 1860. The day she was to graduate from Georgetown, Ky., Seminary.

1-2-2-1-3-2-4. Clara Ferguson, born 28 Oct. 1844; married 28 June, 1868, Edward B. Howard of Alstead, N. H., who was born 31 Oct., 1842, son of William and Clarissa (Kingsbury) Howard.

1-2-2-1-3-2-5. John Mansur Ferguson, born 8 Feb., 1852; died 24 Oct., 1874. Unmarried.

1-2-2-1-3-2-6. John Quincy Ferguson, born 30 Dec., 1854.

1-2-2-1-3-2-7. Edward W., " " 17 Nov., 1856.

Mr. Ferguson settled in Indianapolis, Ind., about 1841, and engaged in pork packing; continued therein nearly forty years. At the same time he was identified with a number of its business and social interests, and was one of the prominent men of the community. In the spring of 1881, he removed with his family to Chicago and engaged again in the pork packing business with his two sons-in-law, E. B. Howard and N. M. Neeld. After remaining in Chicago nearly ten years his health failed him, and he sought refuge in California.

VII. 1-2-2-1-3-3. WILLIAM MANSUR, son of Jeremy Mansur, was born 20 Jan., 1819, in Salsbury, Ind., at that time the county seat of Wayne Co., Indiana.

When he was four years old, his father, Jeremy Mansur, moved to a farm half way between Richmond and Centreville, Ind. Ten years later the family removed to Richmond, Ind., where William remained till he was of age. In 1840, he settled in Indianapolis, and went into the dry goods business with his brother-in-law, John H. Wright. This business he gave up, however, and in partnership wih this father, built in 1847 a pork house, near the old Madison depot, in Indianapolis. He was engaged in the pork packing business until 1862, during the latter part of which time he was associated with his brother, Isaiah Mansur. In 1863, Jeremy Mansur, Isaiah Mansur, and William Mansur, with others, started the Citizens' National Bank, of Indianapolis, of which William Mansur acted as director for twenty years. He was at the same time director of the Indianapolis Rolling Mills. For thirty-one years he was also trustee of the Second Presbyterian Church. At the most active period of his life, he served as City Commissioner and as a member of City Councils.

He died in Indianapolis, on 18 Oct., 1893, in the 76th year of his age.

He married 17 Aug., 1857, Hannah Ann Culley, who was born at Lawrenceburg, Ind., 23 Oct., 1826. She is the oldest daughter of Hon. David Valander and Mary Culley.

She resided at home until her marriage, when she removed to Indianapolis, Ind., where she has since resided.

CHILDREN:—

1-2-2-1-3-3-1. Charles W. Mansur, born 18 Aug., 1848.
1-2-2-1-3-3-2. James F. " " 13 Oct., 1850; died 30 May, 1858.
1-2-2-1-3-3-3. David C. " " 25 Mar., 1853; " 14 Nov., 1861.

VII. 1-2-2-1-3-5. ISAIAH MANSUR, son of Jeremy Mansur, born in Richmond, Ind.; died 3 Dec., 1880, at Indianapolis; married 25 June, 1862, Amelia Brown, of Philadelphia, born 7 April, 1841, at Philadelphia.

Mr. Mansur conducted a banking business in Indianapolis for many years.

CHILDREN:—

1-2-2-1-3-5-1. Joseph Brown, born 4 May, 1861; died 2 Aug., 1894.
1-2-2-1-3-5-2. Cecilia " 17 July, 1864.

VII. 1-2-2-1-3-4. SARAH JANE MANSUR, daughter of Jeremy Mansur, of Richmond, Ind., born, Salisbury, Ind., 5 June, 1821; married 7 May, 1839, William Scott Reid, of Richmond, Ind., whom she survives.

CHILDREN:—

1-2-2-1-3-4-1. A daughter, born 31 March, 1841; died same day.
1-2-2-1-3-4-2. James Franklin Reid, born 29 Oct., 1842; died 25 June, 1851.
1-2-2-1-3-4-3. Letitia Jane " " 31 July, 1845; " 1 Feb., 1878.
1-2-2-1-3-4-4. Daniel Mansur " " 12 Oct., 1848; " 27 June, 1851.
1-2-2-1-3-4-5. Sarah Mansur " " 5 Feb., 1852.
1-2-2-1-3-4-6. William Scott " " 13 May, 1855; died 14 May, 1858.
1-2-2-1-3-4-7. Charles William " " 20 July, 1856; " 8 June, 1866.
1-2-2-1-3-4-8. Clarissa M. " " 20 July, 1861; " 18 July, 1883.
1-2-2-1-3-4-9. Mansur Carr " " 25 Sept., 1867.

Mr. Reid was born 10 Dec., 1818, in Rockbridge Co., Virginia; son of Daniel and Letitia Reid.

He engaged very extensively in pork packing in Richmond, Ind., not only contributing very much to its prosperity but probably doing more than any other single individual to make it the centre of that industry in eastern Indiana.

He died at his home in Richmond, Ind., 3 March, 1890, after a long and painful illness.

VII. 1-2-2-1-7-1. CLARA A. HOLT, daughter of Clarissa Mansur, born 29 Dec., 1826; married Lt.-Col. Thomas Jefferson Adams, of Chelmsford, Mass., son of William and Mary (Roby) Adams, born 4 May, 1805; died 11 Dec., 1881. He was a surveyor and farmer.

CHILD:—

1-2-2-1-7-1-1. Charles W. S. Adams, born in North Chelmsford, 3 Dec., 1850; married Alice J. Coburn, born 26 April, 1850.

VII. 1-2-2-4-1-10. Hon. ZOPHAR M. MANSUR, of Vermont, son of Warren, born in Morgan, 19 Nov., 1843; married Nellie L. Newhall, of Norway, Me.

CHILDREN:—

1-2-2-4-1-10-1. Mabelle S., born 4 May, 1871; married Carl R. Storrs, of Island Pond, Vt., son of Judge D. S. Storrs. They live at Hastings, Me., and have two children.

1-2-2-4-1-10-2. Arthur G., born 5 June, 1873.
He alone bears the Mansur name in the third generation from Joseph Mansur. He is a jeweler at Burlington, Vt.

1-2-2-4-1-10-3. A son, died in infancy.

Zophar M. Mansur is thus referred to in an article in "The Vermonter," a monthly magazine published at St. Albans, Vt.

"The Hon. Z. M. Mansur is admirably equipped for the responsible duties of this office (Collector of Customs, District of Memphremagog, Vt.). His experience in the government service and his business ability render his selection most fitting. Col. Mansur is one of Vermont's honored Union Veterans, and an empty sleeve testifies to his gallantry and heroism in defence of 'Old Glory.' Col. Mansur was a student of Montpelier Union School, a graduate of Derby, Vt., Academy. Enlisted August 13, 1862, in Co. K, 10th Vt. Regiment, and served three years (part of the time as corporal). He participated in the battles of the Wilderness, Spottsylvania, Hanover Court House, Cold Harbor, Weldon Railroad, Monocacy, and Opequan Creek. In the latter battle, which took place Sept. 19, 1864, he lost his right arm. After being honorably discharged on account of the loss of his arm he studied law and was admitted to the bar in 1875. He was subsequently Postmaster at Island Pond and Deputy Collector of Customs in charge of the port of Island Pond under Harrison's administration. Col. Mansur was elected State's Attorney of Essex County in 1886, Representative from Brighton in the Legislature of 1886, Senator from Essex County in 1888, President of the Vermont Officers' Reunion Society in 1889, Department Commander G. A. R., in 1892, and President of the Sons of the American Revolution, in 1894.

"Col. Mansur was elected Lieutenant-Governor of Vermont, in 1894. He has settled more estates and affected the sale of

more real estate than any other man in Essex County. He is one of the trustees of the Soldiers' Home at Bennington, Vt., Director of the National Bank of Derby Line, Vt."

Col. Mansur located at Island Pond in 1866, where he held the office of Postmaster from Feb., 1867 until Dec., 1884.

VII. 1-2-2-6-4-1. HON. CHARLES H. MANSUR, son of Charles Mansur, was born in Philadelphia. Pa., 6 March, 1835. He received a common school education, and later entered Lawrence Academy, Groton, Mass. About 1838, his father, Charles, with his four brothers, Isaiah, Moody, Stillman, and Porter, emigrated to Ray County, Missouri, taking Charles H. with him. He subsequently studied law and was admitted to the bar at Richmond, Mo., 30 August, 1856. In 1856, he removed to Chillicothe, Mo., where he afterward resided. He was a member of the Board of Education of Chillicothe for eight years; was a member of the Democratic State Central Committee from 1864 till 1868; was a delegate to the National Democratic Convention in New York in 1868; was prosecuting of Livingston County from 1875 till 1879; was a delegate at large to the Democratic Convention at Chicago in 1884; in 1872 was a joint nominee of the Democracy and Liberal Republicans in the Tenth Missouri District, and was again the nominee of the Democracy in the same district in 1880; was elected as a Democrat to the 50th Congress from the Second Missouri District, comprising the counties of Carroll, Chariton, Grundy, Linn, Monroe, Livingston, Randolph, and Sullivan, and was re-elected to the 51st and 52d Congresses. He failed to be elected to the 53d Congress, and was appointed by President Cleveland, Second Controller of the Treasury, which office he filled until his death, which occurred 16 April, 1895.

He was a man of immense size, being six feet four inches in height, and broad in proportion, weighing about 280 pounds.

He married 15 Sept., 1859, Demorus Broshee, of Palmyra, Mo.

CHILDREN:—

1-2-2-6-4-1-1. Charles W. born
1-2-2-6-4-1-2. Jessie R. "

VII. 1-2-2-6-2-1. ALVAH MANSUR, of Moline, Ill., born at Lowell, 5 Dec., 1833; died, Los Angeles, Cal., 8 Jan., 1898; married , Nellie Blockington, of Moline, Ill., who died in Kansas City, , 1871.

CHILD:—

1-2-2-6-2-1-1. A daughter who married George J. Kane. She died 10 Nov., 1897, leaving two daughters and a son.

He was eductated at the Lawrence Academy, Groton, Mass., the same school which his cousin, the late Hon. Charles H. Mansur attended. After completing his education he became connected with a wholesale hardware house in New York City, and represented them in the West. His first business venture was in the hardware business in Moline, Ill. In 1859 he became connected with the plow manufacturer, Mr. John Deene. At the breaking out of the war he enlisted in the 19th Illinois Infantry and served with the rank of lieutenant. After the war he went West and engaged in mining in Central City, Colo., and served two terms in the Legislature of that State.

In 1869 he formed a partnership with Deene & Co., of Moline, Ill., and established the house of Deene, Mansur & Co., at Kansas City. In 1874 he opened the house of Deene, Mansur & Co., in St. Louis, Mr. L. B. Tebbett, being associated with him. In 1890 the firm of Deene, Mansur & Co., was dissolved, Deene & Co., taking the Kansas City business, and Mr. Mansur and Mr. Tebbett the St. Louis business.

In 1876, Deene & Co. and Mr. Mansur organised the Deene & Mansur Co., at Moline, Ill., for the purpose of manufacturing corn planters. This institution has since taken a prominent place in manufacturing industries of this country, until to-day it is the largest concern of its kind in existence. At the time of his death, which occurred 8 January, 1898, at Los Angeles, Cal., Mr. Mansur was President of the Mansur-Tebbetts Implement Co., of St. Louis and Dallas, Texas; President of the Mansur-Tebbetts Carriage Manufacturing Co., of St. Louis; Vice-President of the Deene & Mansur Co., of Moline; President of the Charter Oak Stove and Range Co., St. Louis, and President or Director of a large number of other business insti-

tutions. He also was largely interested in the lead and zinc mining operations in Missouri, and was a man of affairs generally. His estate was estimated at four millions.

Mr. Mansur was a man of strong and lovable character, with a deep sense of his obligations in every position of trust, and was one upon whom many leaned for advice and counsel in times of doubt and stress.

VII. 1-2-4-7-1-1. JOHN H. MANSUR, son of Moses Mansur, was born in Cearnarvon Township, Berks Co., Pa., 25 May, 1842. His parents returned to Philadelphia soon after, and resided there permanently. He attended the public schools until 1856. He learned the trade of gas-meter making and worked at it until the breaking out of the war, when he enlisted in Co. D, 75th Reg't Penna. Vols., August 23d, 1861, for three years. He was transferred to the U. S. Signal Corps in 1862 and served in that branch of the service till the expiration of his term of service. On 13 November, 1866, he married Elizabeth Ann Lee, of Philadelphia.

In June, 1890, he removed to Royersford, Pa., and engaged in the business of gas-meter making under the corporate title of the Keystone Meter Co., and is now President of the company. He is the compiler of this genealogy.

Elizabeth Ann Lee, wife of John H. Mansur, was born 31 July, 1839, at Manayunk, Philadelphia. Her father's name was William Lee, of Philadelphia, who was born 14 April, 1816. He died in the army in 1864. Her mother's name was Elizabeth Ann Shoemaker, of Philadelphia, who was born 23 Dec., 1815, and died 4 Feb., 1892, at Royersford, Pa., in the 78th year of her age.

VII. 1-2-4-7-1-2. ANNIE ELIZABETH MANSUR, daughter of Moses Mansur, was born in Philadelphia, Pa., 23 May, 1845. She was married to William S. Schofield, of Holmesburg, Pa., who died 23 Nov. 1876, at Philadelphia, of disease contracted there. She married, second, 13 June, 1888, William P. Cahill, of Philadelphia. She has no children by either marriage.

William Schofield was born at Holmesburg, Pa., on 27 May, 1849. He was the son of William and Alice Schofield of the same place. He was a cloth finisher by occupation, though he worked at other pursuits, and was one of the guards at the Centennial Exposition at Philadelphia, in 1876.

William P. Cahill was born 16 March, 1849, in Ireland. He is the son of Richard and Alice Cahill. His parents came to Philadelphia in 1852, when he was about three years old, and he lived there till 1896, when he removed to Royersford, Pa. He is a bricklayer.

VII. 1-2-4-7-1-3. GEORGE WASHINGTON MANSUR, son of Moses, was born 23 Oct., 1848, at Philadelphia. He learned the trade of gas-meter making and worked at it till his death, which occurred 2 Feb., 1872.

He was of a bright, cheerful disposition, and his early death was much regretted by all who knew him.

VII. 1-2-4-7-1-4. CHARLES HUNTER MANSUR, son of Moses, born in Philadelphia, 29 Aug., 1851; married June, 1876, Jennie Dudgeon, of Philadelphia, who was born 5 Aug., 1857.

CHILDREN:—

1-2-4-7-1-4-1.	Jennie,	born 2 Feb., 1877.
1-2-4-7-1-4-2.	George W.,	" 24 May, 1878.
1-2-4-7-1-4-3.	Charles,	" 11 Sept., 1880.
1-2-4-7-1-4-4.	Warren B.,	" 6 Feb., 1884.
1-2-4-7-1-4-5.	William,	" 18 Jan., 1886.
1-2-4-7-1-4-6.	Catherine H.,	" 16 March, 1888.

Charles Hunter Mansur, is a carpenter by trade, and has always lived in Philadelphia. In 1872 he went into the regular army, serving two years in the 2nd U. S. Cavalry.

VII. 1-2-4-7-1-6. WARREN BAILEY MANSUR, son of Moses, born in Philadelphia, 26 Jan., 1860; married 14 Sept., 1887, Sarah E. Neinberg, of Philadelphia.

CHILDREN:—

1-2-4-7-1-6-1.	William N.,	born 15 Oct., 1889.
1-2-4-7-1-6-2.	Annie C.,	" 25 Sept., 1891.

1-2-4-7-1-6-3. Albert W., born 21 Feb., 1893.
1-2-4-7-1-6-4. Katy E., " 13 Oct., 1894.
1-2-4-7-1-6-5. Warren B., " 4 Dec., 1895.
1-2-4-7-1-6-6. George E., " 1 March, 1897.

Warren Bailey Mansur learned the trade of gas-meter making, and has worked at it ever since in New York and Philadelphia. In 1890 he removed to Royersford, Pa., where he now resides, and where five of his children were born.

VII. 1-2-4-7-4-2. CLARA INEZ MANSUR, daughter of William, was born on 28 June, 1849, at Methuen, Mass. On 11 Dec., 1867, she was married to Joseph Richardson, of Dracut, Mass., by whom she had one child. Joseph Richardson, was born in Dracut, Mass. He is the son of Oliver Richardson and Hepzibah Jane Bailey, of Dracut. He is a farmer and much respected in the community in which he lives. He is a brother to Edwin Richardson, who married his wife's sister, Myra A. Mansur.

CHILD:—
1-2-4-7-4-2-1. Annie Mabel, born 18 Dec., 1868.

VII. 1-2-4-7-4-3. MYRA AGNES MANSUR, daughter of William Mansur, was born 7 March, 1851, at Methuen, Mass. On 24 Nov., 1872, she was married to Edwin Richardson, of Dracut, Mass., her brother-in-law, by whom she has two sons.

Edwin Richardson was born at Dracut, Mass. He is the son of Oliver Richardson and Hepzibah Jane Bailey, of Dracut. He is a prosperous farmer, and enjoys the confidence and respect of his friends and neighbors. He is a brother of Joseph Richardson, and their wives are sisters.

CHILDREN:—
1-2-4-7-4-3-1. Charles B., born 22 Sept., 1874.
1-2-4-7-4-3-2. Chester W., " 30 April, 1877.

VII. 1-2-4-7-6-1. CHARLES KENDALL MANSUR, son of Charles, born in Haverhill, 27 Feb., 1850; married, first, 30 Jan., 1878, Cora H. Robinson, of Cornville, Me., who died

without issue. He married, second, 6 Oct., 1881, Elizabeth Gad, of Exeter, N. H.

CHILD:—

1-2-4-7-6-1-1. Charles, born 5 Oct., 1882; died 27 April, 1886.

Charles Kendall Mansur learned the trade of carriage building with his father, and upon his retirement succeeded to his business, which he now carries on.

VII. 1-2-4-7-6-2. GEORGE HENRY MANSUR, son of Chas. Mansur, born in Haverhill, 26 Oct., 1854; married 6 Sept., 1877, Maria E. Haughey.

CHILDREN:—

1-2-4-7-6-2-1. George B., born 14 May, 1882.
1-2-4-7-6-2-2. James H., " 25 Oct., 1886; died 7 Aug., 1888.
1-2-4-7-6-2-3. John P., " Oct., 1890.

VII. 1-2-4-7-6-4. FRANK DANIEL MANSUR, son of Charles, born in Haverhill, 28 Aug., 1863; married 26 June, 1889, Alice Ingham.

CHILD:—

1-2-4-7-6-4-1. Frank L. F., born 3 May, 1890.

TRIBE OF JOHN.

EIGHTH GENERATION.

VIII. 1-2-1-2-4-1. ERNEST MILTON MANSUR, son of Charles E., born 24 Feb., 1867; married 10 Dec., 1890, to Emma Josephine Sailers, of Cortland, N. Y. No children.

Ernest M. Mansur is a graduate of the Ricker Classical Institute. Since 1891 he has been in the seed business at Floral Park, N. Y., with John L. Childs. He has helped compile this record.

VIII. 1-2-2-1-3-1-1. FRANKLAND M. WRIGHT, son of Mary Ann Mansur; married 6 May, 1856, Laura Lawrence, of Dublin, Ind. He was born May 1st, 1833, and died suddenly of heart failure 4 February, 1889, in his 64th year. His wife was born 13 June, 1836, daughter of Edmund and Esther Lawrence, of Dublin, Ind.

CHILDREN:—

1-2-2-1-3-1-1-1. Perry L. Wright, born 5 May, 1859; married 12 March, 1890, Adele, daughter of Robert F. Campbell, of Chicago.

1-2-2-1-3-1-1-2. Fanny E. Wright, born 8 Feb., 1861; died 12 Feb., 1874.

1-2-2-1-3-1-1-3. May L. " " 31 Dec., 1865; married 8 April, 1890 Wm. J. Cook, of Richmond, Ind.; live in Chicago.

VIII. 1-2-2-1-3-1-2. MANSUR H. WRIGHT, son of Mary Ann Mansur; married 5 Oct., 1864; Jennie R. Van Doren. He was born 7 March, 1835, and died 27 Dec., 1885, of diabetes, in his 51st year. His wife was born 13 March, 1842, daughter of Rev. Wm. Van Doren.

CHILDREN:—

1-2-2-1-3-1-2-1. Annie Wright, born 21 Nov., 1865; died 1 June, 1888; married 23 Sept., 1885, Frank Keys Dunn, of Chicago.

1-2-2-1-3-1-2-2. Willie Wright, born 5 Sept., 1871.

VIII. 1-2-2-1-3-2-6. JOHN QUINCY FERGUSON, son of Clarissa Mansur, born 30 Dec., 1854; now resides in St. Louis, Mo. He married 7 June, 1876, Mattie Dilley. His wife studied for the stage and became a very successful actress.

VIII. 1-2-2-1-3-2-7. EDWARD W. FERGUSON, son of Clarissa Mansur, born 17 Nov., 1856; now resides in Chicago. He married 1 Jan., 1880, Maria R. Dunn. No children.

VIII. 1-2-2-1-3-4-5. SARAH MANSUR REID, daughter of Sarah Jane Mansur; born at Richmond, Ind., 5 Feb., 1852; married 13 Aug., 1873, Benjamin B. Myrick, Jr., of Richmond, Ind.

CHILDREN:—

1-2-2-1-3-4-5-1. Florence Reid Myrick, born 17 June, 1874.
1-2-2-1-3-4-5-2. William Benjamin Myrick, born 12 Feb., 1878. } twins.
1-2-2-1-3-4-5-3. Clara May " " " " " }

VIII. 1-2-2-1-3-5-2. CECILIA MANSUR, daughter of Isaiah Mansur; born in Indianapolis, Ind., 17 July, 1865; married 10 Nov., 1886, Clarence Wolsin, of Cincinnati, O. He was born at Cincinnati, O., 20 Aug., 1853, and died at Indianapolis, Ind., 26 Feb., 1897, of nervous exhaustion.

CHILDREN:—

1-2-2-1-3-5-2-1. Cecilia Wolsin, born 22 May, 1884.
1-2-2-1-3-5-2-2. Robert Mansur " " 2 July, 1888.

VIII. 1-2-2-6-4-1-1. CHARLES W. MANSUR, son of Hon. Charles H. Mansur; born ; married 11 March, 1886, Frankie Isham, of Coffeyville, Kan.

CHILD:—

1-2-2-6-4-1-1-1. Charles T., born.

VIII. 1-2-2-1-3-4-8. CLARISSA M. REID, daughter of Sarah Jane Mansur, born at Richmond, Ind., 20 July, 1861; died

18 July, 1883; married 11 Oct., 1882, J. R. McKee, of Richmond, Ind., who, after his wife's death, removed South.

CHILD:—

1-2-2-1-3-4-8. Paul Reid McKee, born 7 July, 1883.

VIII. 1-2-2-1-3-5-1. JOSEPH BROWN MANSUR, was born 4 May, 1863, at Indianapolis, Ind. On 1 March, 1892, he married Edith W. Hartel, of Holmesburg, Pa., and settled in Indianapolis. He was a lawyer, though he never practiced actively at the bar, but devoted his attention to the management of his father's estate. He died suddenly of appendicitis, in Chicago, 2 Aug, 1894, deeply regretted by all who knew him.

Edith Warrington Hardel, wife of Joseph Brown Mansur, is the daughter of Andreas Hartel and Elizabeth Warrington, both of Holmesburg, Pa. She was born 4 Nov., 1865. After Mr. Mansur's death she removed to Philadelphia, her present home.

ADDENDA.

From Andover records: John Mansur, of Methuen, and Hannah Lovejoy, of South Parish of Andover, intend marriage 2 June, 1732. Married by Mr. Phillips, 21 Dec., 1732.

The following book is in the possession of a member of the family: "A preparation for Judgment, a sermon, preached in London, wherein is shew'd, etc., by the late Rev. Mr. J. (i. e. Jeremiah) Burroughs." [Date torn off.] It is a small 32mo., and on fly leaves is inscribed: "In ye year 1723 ye first month Ms. Marcey Foster her Book prise is eight pence. If i it loose and it find pray give it me for it is (mine)."

Opposite, in darker ink, and probably later hand, is: "Marcey sister Hannah is —— ——— ——— (Foster)?" On leaf 2 is: "hannah lovejoy John Manssur his book 1744"

On last cover is: "Sherebiah Ballerd John Mansur his Book."

James Mansur and Polly Pierce, both of Belfast, Me., married there 7 April, 1805.

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3 June, 1663. At a court held at Dover, N. H., John Menseaw (possibly Mensear or Menseard) *vs.* defendant not named. "His charge cannot be heard by reason of defendant's death." Vol. II., fo. 75, *Provincial Court Papers.*

WALLINGFORD, CONN., RECORDS.

Hulda, daughter of John and Rachel Mansur, born 6 Apr., 1766.

Marriages on Methuen Records.

Samuel Bodwell and Elizabeth Mansur, both of Methuen, were married 28 September, 1758, by Rev. Christopher Sargent.

Samuel Mansur, of Methuen, and Sarah Varnum, of Dracut, were married 2 May, 1765, by Rev. Christopher Sargent.

Phineas Messer and Rebekah Mansur were married 31 January, 1788, by Rev. Simon F. Williams.

John Mansur and Susanna Morrill were married 9 December, 1791, by Rev. Simon F. Williams.

Elijah Mansur and Lucy Messer were married 1 December, 1791, by Rev. John H. Stevens.

Francis Richardson, Jr., and Mehitable Mansur, both of Methuen, were married 1 April, 1798, by Stephen Barker, Esq.

James Mansur, of Dracut, and Mary Harris, of Methuen, were married 18 April, 1776, by Rev. Christopher Sargent.

Trueworthy White, Jr., and Sarah Ann Mansur, both of Methuen, were married 5 September, 1831, by Rev. C. O. Kimball.

Intentions of Marriage: Methuen.

Between Theodore Beernard, of Methuen, and Anna Mansur, of Dracut, were published 3 February, 1800.

Between Oliver Whittier, of Methuen, and Hannah Lovejoy Mansur, were published 2 November, 1800.

Between Samuel Richardson, 3rd, of Methuen, and Abigail Mansur, of Dracut, were published 7 August, 1807.

Births: Methuen.

Hannah Mansur, daughter of John Mansur, Jr., and Ruth, his wife, was born 27 September, 1764.

John Mansur, son of John and Ruth Mansur, was born 17 July, 1766.

Elijah Mansur, son of John and Ruth Mansur, was born 23 April, 1768.

Daniel Mansur, son of John and Ruth Mansur, was born 5 December, 1769.

Elijah Mansur, son of Elijah Mansur and Lucy, his wife, was born 29 June, 1792,

Lucy Mansur, daughter of Elijah and Lucy Mansur, was born 13 October, 1794.

Leonard Mansur, son of Elijah and Lucy Mansur, was born 26 January, 1797.

Asa Mansur, son of Elijah and Lucy Mansur, was born 19 February, 1799.

John Mansur, son of Elijah and Lucy Mansur, was born 29 April, 1801.

In Visitation of Norfolk we find the following:—

Richard Mansuer, son of Henry Mansuer, of Norfolk, married Katherine Berkham. Children: Henry, John, Katherine, and one other. No date given.

* * * William Mansuer, Parson of Sharington, a witness to a will proved in 1558. * * * Richard Mansuer's will proved 30th of Jan., 1592. * * * Roger Mansure, of North Creek. Richard, 2nd, son of John Mansuer, married Alice Pepis, widow, about 1613. * * *

In other publications appear records of numerous marriages of Mansers in different parts of England.

Burke gives the following arms as borne by Mansur:—

ARMS—Vair a bend Or.

CREST—A pelican's nest Or, 3 young ones Sa., thereon a pelican vulning herself proper.

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